

PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

WINZELER, JAMES E.) Art Unit: 3681
Application No.: 10/738,442) Examiner: HA D. HO
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For: FINAL DRIVE FOR ELECTRIC)
MOTOR TO WHEEL)
Attorney Docket No.: 01-827)

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AMENDMENT AND ELECTION

Sir:

In the Office Action mailed June 9, 2005, the Examiner asserted that the above-mentioned application contained two patentably distinct species requiring election of one of the species. Applicant hereby elects Species 1, shown in Figure 1. Claims 1-18 read on elected Species 1.

A Petition for a one-month extension of time according to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) is enclosed

In addition to the election, the Applicant has amended claims 7 and 16.